

Outagamie County

The Road to HIPAA Compliance

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Wake up and smell the coffee

- Realize what we have to do
- January 2002 began reviewing code sets
- Can we do this on our own?
- Can TCM accomplish this for us?



The first bridge to cross

- Train Outagamie and MCG staff to understand all of the code sets and how to read the Implementation Guides
- MCG jointly determined with CDS that generating the transaction code sets within TCM was not cost effective in order to be completed on time and within budget
- Where do we go from here?



The second bridge to cross

- Review other products to meet compliance
 - Compare costs
 - Knowledge
 - Current infrastructure
 - Time for implementation
 - Flexibility for other applications



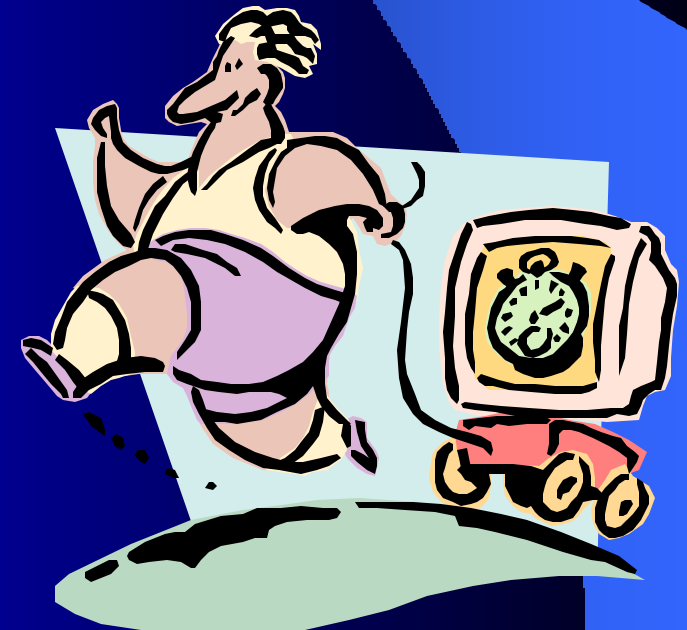
The last leg of the marathon

- Microsoft BizTalk and the HIPAA Accelerator
 - Cost effective
 - Technical knowledge available
 - Fits within current county structure
 - Has capability for county wide future growth not just for HIPAA
 - Meets needs for Payer and Provider side



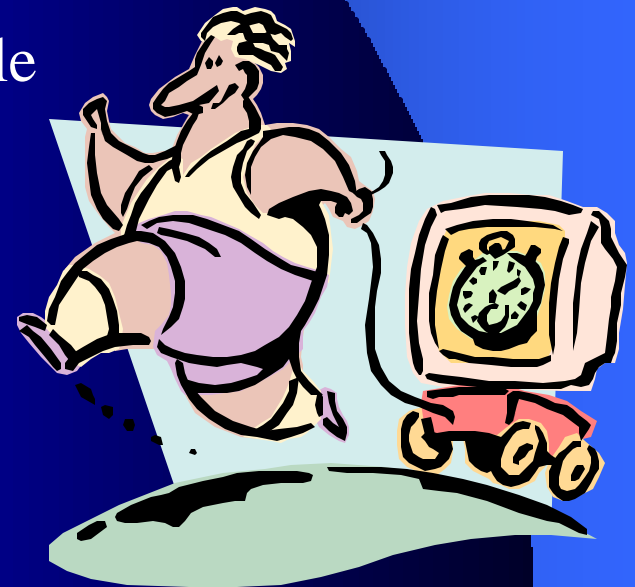
How do we get across the finish line in time?

- Case workers enter and sign their notes in TCM
- Accounts receivable staff run claims process
- TCM exports claims file
- BizTalk picks up export file and processes file into 837P
- BizTalk sends 837P file to TPA
- Third Party Insurance responds with 997 or TA1



How do we get across the finish line in time? - cont.....

- Client receives Lifeline services in their home
- Life Line provider sends 837P claim to Outagamie County
- BizTalk receives file and converts into text then sends to TCM
- TCM imports file and accounts payable staff process claim for payment
- TCM sends file to BizTalk for 835 to be generated
- BizTalk sends 835 to Provider



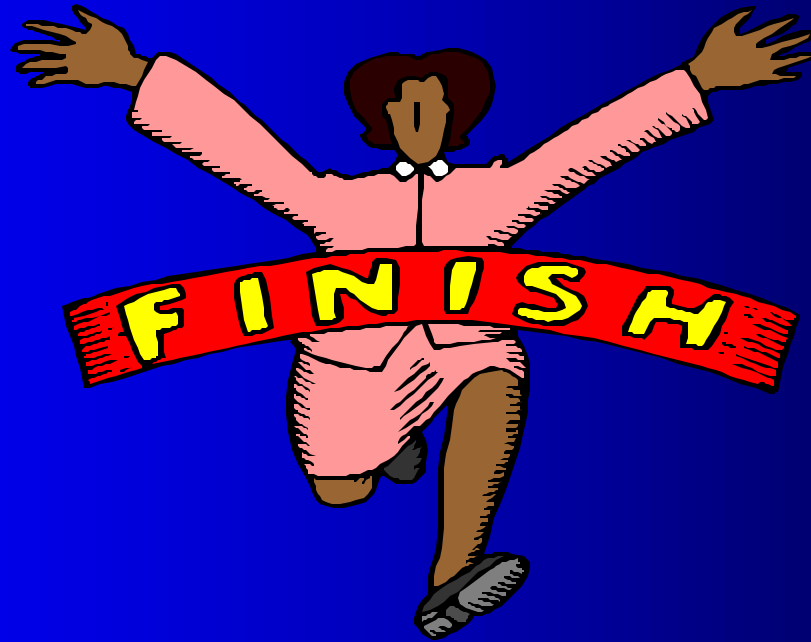
Helping out our fellow runners

- Outagamie County offers to help out 4 other counties, in the TCM Multi-County Group, that use the same application in order to save costs



Crossing the finish line and collecting the trophy

- October 16, 2003
- HIPAA Certified



Questions, Answers and Demos

- Clinical Data Solutions and Microsoft will be presenting demos of both systems this afternoon between 1-3pm

